

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
MARSHALL DIVISION**

**CIENA CORPORATION, a Delaware  
corporation,**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**NORTEL NETWORKS, INC., a Delaware  
corporation, NORTEL NETWORKS  
LIMITED, a Canadian corporation, and  
NORTEL NETWORKS CORPORATION,  
a Canadian corporation,**

**Defendants.**

**Civil Action No. 2:05-CV-14-LED**

**Judge Davis**

**ORDER ON MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND PLEADINGS TO ADD DEFENSES  
AND COUNTERCLAIMS ON INEQUITABLE CONDUCT**

CAME TO BE CONSIDERED the parties' Joint Motion for Leave to Amend Pleadings to Add Defenses and Counterclaims on Inequitable Conduct. The Court is of the opinion that the motion should be GRANTED.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this Court's Amended Docket Control Order is hereby modified as follows:

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| Deadline for Plaintiff to Amend Pleadings to Add Inequitable Conduct Allegations with Respect to the '760, '363 and '519 patents.      | April 24, 2006 |
| Deadline for Defendants to Answer Amended Pleadings and Add Inequitable Conduct Allegations with Respect to the '115 and '392 patents. | April 28, 2006 |

No other deadlines are modified.

**So ORDERED and SIGNED this 19th day of April, 2006.**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Leonard Davis', written over a horizontal line.

**LEONARD DAVIS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**